



**U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Dimock Residential Well Sampling
Community Update**
Dimock, Susquehanna County, PA



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Residential Well Sampling Update

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) began collecting residential well water samples in the Dimock area the week of January 23, 2012. To date:

- ✓ EPA has completed sampling activities at 61 private wells.
- ✓ EPA is providing a temporary, alternate water supply to four homes.

Over the next several weeks, EPA will be contacting residents in the order they were sampled to go over their results and any next steps, if needed.

EPA is preparing a final data package for every home where we took samples and we plan to offer each resident the opportunity to meet with us to go over their data and ask questions.

Reviewing the Data

All of the samples taken by EPA will go through our Quality Assurance/Quality Control review process to ensure that only final and complete data results are presented to the residents.

However, if at any time our data review indicates elevated levels of contamination that may cause a health concern, EPA will offer to meet with the affected resident right away to explain the results and the next steps such as the provision of alternative water and additional sampling, if needed.

More Information

Visit EPA's website

www.epaosc.org/dimock_residential_groundwater

Or contact:

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Photo above: EPA workers collecting a sample